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POETRY.

#### The Gloom of Autumn.

Hail, ye nighing sons of sorrow. View with me natuumal gloom; Learn from thence your fate to morrow, Dead, perhaps laid in the tomb. See, all nature fading, dying. Silent all things seem to mouto. Life from vegetation flying Brings to mind the mouldering urn. Oft are Autumn's tempest's rising.

Making lofty forrests bod, Scenes of nature how surprising ! Read in nature nature's god. See our soysteign, sole creator Lives sternal in the sky, While we mortals yield to nature, Bloom a while then fade and die.

Nations die by dread bestern. Through enraged tyrannic Kings. Just as plants in pale Pemena. Fall to rise in fature spring. Mournful scenes, when vegetation Falls by frost, or worms devour; Doubly mouraful, when a nation Falls by mighboring nations power

Death and war my mend depression Autumn shows me my decay, Catts to mind my past distresses, Warns me of my dying day, Autumn makes me melancholy, Strikes dejection through my soul, While I mearn my former folly Waves of sorrow o'er meralli

Lot I have the air resounding With expiring inspets' cries: Ab; their means to me, how wounding Eablems of my own demise. Hollow winds about me rearing, Noisy waters 'round me rise, While I sit my fate deploring. Tears are streaming from my eyes

What to me are autumn's treasures. Since I know no earthly joy, Long I've lost all earthly pleasures. Time must youth and health destroy, Pleasures once I fondly wasted, Shared each less that youth bustows, But to see where then I sported, Now embitters all my wors. Age and a reasy since have blasted.

Every yourteful pleasing dram; Quivaring age with youth contrasted. Oh, how short their glories seem. As the annual frosts are econoring Leaves and tendrils from the trees; Lol my friends are yearly dropping, Through old age and dire discase Pormer friends, how I've sought 'em,

fast to theer my drooping mind; But they've gone like feaves in Autumn. Driven before the dreary wind. When a few more springs are o'er, When a few more grid's I've tasted I shad live to the no more.

Past my sun of life's declining, Soon twill set in emflows night; But my hopes pure and refining, Rest in future life and tight Cease that fearing, trembing, righing, Death will break the sullen gloom; And my spirit that ring, flying, Mast be born beyond the tom

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Execution of Dr. Wright.

Perperations against hastile demanstr Review of Dr. Wright's Life.

Noarolk, VA., October 23, 1863. AND IS RECAPTURED. -On Wednesday Dr. Wright made a request that a light should be furnished him in his cell that evening. Strange as the request was, no the Eria. It has been beased by the Pennsylvania Ruttead one regarded it with any suspicion. Late that evening he was visited, as usual, by a portion of his family, which, on this oceasion, consisted of his wife, two daughters and small son. They all entered their father's cell, and after remaining a short time the whole party, apparently, retired. To gain the street, they had to pass thro' a little antereom in the prison, which is occupied by its officers for the transaction

keys, who, after they had just cleverly regiments brought up the rear. reached the street, exclaimed, "By ----. Lackawanna & Bloomsburg Railroad I believe that was Dr. Wright in disguise. he exclaimed, "That's played out; I know were observed erying.

8.05 p. M. 1.45 P. M It proved to be as the lieutenant had as- the gallows was erecated. AF assenger Train standards the first to three boys and a girl, two of the periods to the periods to the period of rassed at the detection, and on being con- 8th and 15th Connecticut regiments, the obeyed the summons. All hands were this month she gave birth to two girls and the wood of these submerged forests is ducted inside the jail, remarked that "des- 4th Rhode Island regiment and Regan's piped to quarters; a gun was fired, but a boy, all of whom were, as late as Tues- very great. From the little town of Denperate means were pardonable, under des- Battery, were drawn up in a hollow square the cariou craft sat too low in the water day of this week, alive and well. Ten nisville, in this county, as many as eight thing I ever did in my life before I came perate circumstances," and then walked around the gallows. The procession pass- and the ball passed over her. A second children in three years is pretty good hundred thousand, valued at twelve thou-At Northumbertand it connects with the Philadelphia de Eriell. R. and N. C. R. R. for points west and south back to his cell as unconcernedly as if nothing had occured. The sequel of how delphia 10 P. M. naitures 10 C. D. HUNT. Saper 1 C. Wells. Gen'l Treket Agent.

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Also, Side Sides, Were constitute from the part fully conjugated in her pa's right the hoofs contemmed was tried. The Doctor list in retalliation, which severely wounded. Also, Solid Silver Ware, equal to Coin and the best fully equipped in her pa's rig, the boots be as represented.

Watches of Jewity carefully rap aired and sat benefit of the covering. She was maked to them calmly, and without evincing and who is now in retalliation, which severely wounded to them calmly, and without evincing and the covering.

that the doctor had everything in readiness most fervently for a few minutes. self appear small, and in doing this he to the bar which supported the drop.

prison, while the other two were in good be delivered to his family.

all this was of no avail.

Scene at the Prison This Morning .- stances. Early this morning the exterior of the prison was surrounded by glistening bayonets, and the interior filled by officials who were preparing everything for the execution. At nine o'clock, Dr. Wright was taken from his cell and conducted tions-Scenes at the Prison and along supported on either side by a clergyman. Union Monitor fleet in Charlestown har drawn up into line, he advanced towards incidents will be read with interest:

just above the head. Messrs, Rodman and Overson.

sition, but was more deeply surprised and Dr. Rodman now offered up a prayer, of the expedition, which he undoubtedly pained to find that her scheme for her fa-

ther's escape had been frustrated. For advanced a few steps forward, and in a muscular frame, a dark wrinkled, skin, ber imprudent act no restraint was placed tremulous voice said, "Gentlemen, the act dark eyes, and course black hair and beard. upon her, but she was escorted home by which I committed was done without the There were three others with him all unone of the officers of the prison. It is slightest molice." His hands were now der command of Lieut. Glassel, formerly asserted, but we know not with what truth tied. Bending on his knees, he prayed of the United States Navy. He is said to

to facilitate his escape, and that his friends The Execution .- Upon arising, the cap some time since and confined in Fort Warwere not slow to aid him in it. It was was adjusted over his face, and the execu- ren, but subsequently, on being released, through a mere accident that he was recog. tioner, Mr. John Armstrong, of Co. B. rejoined the Southern brmy. He is now a nized. Being taller than the woman, he 21st Connecticut regiment, stepped from prisoner on the Ottawa. The musketry stooped as much as he dare to make him- the platform and pulled the rope attached firing from the frigate after the first volley

stumbled while passing through a door .- All this time a brenthless stillness pre. in no way to interfere with the execution This caused his detection, as it more clear- vailed, and as the doctor descended thro' of the plan had in view by those aboard ly revealed the shape and size of his body, the trap a shudder appeared to run thro' the steamer, as she approached nearer and which the keen eye of the turnkey was every one present. He fell without a nearer each moment to the "Ironsides," struggle. His death must have been in- her bow pointing toward the latter's side, Preparations Against any Hostile Dem- stantaneous, as not a metion was perceiv- and run close in under her guns. At this onstrations - It having been removed pret- ed. It was a few minutes after ten when moment a terific explosion took place jarty freely throughout the city for several the signal to lower the trap was given . - ring the great iron plated hull of the frigdays past that an attempt would be made. The body, after hanging a half hour, was ate, and sending into the air a huge colto rescue the prisoner, the eighth and fif- examined by Dr. Conover, the Medical nmn of water that fell in torrents all round teenth Connecticut and fourth Rhode Is- Director, Dr. J. H. Lee, of the 21st Con- and entering the smoke pipe of the little ped at a farm house and, pretending to ministration of Father Abraham." land regiments were brought across the necticut, and several other Sur cons, who steamer immediately extinguishing her river to prevent any such demonstration, pronounced life extinct. The body was fires. When this had subsided, and the One regiment was stationed around the then cut down and placed in the coffin to sea was again calm, nothing whatever was then not knowing how to put it together speaking of the designs of the Abolition-

supporting distance. No surprise or res- A Short Review of Dr. Wright .- Thus she went down. But struggling for life one was attempted, and the night passed has Dr. David M. Wright paid the forfeit were two men, evidently members of her Hav Yesterday was Spent by the Con- Licutenant Sanborn, of the United States | ered for the purpose from the Ironsides. demoved - The Doctor throughout yester- colored troops, in the early part of July They are the two I have already mentionday appeared as cheerful as usual. In last. Since the commission of the deed ed, the seaman Toombs, and Lieut, Glasthe ofternoon the Lord's sacrament was he has endeavored to justify himself in it. sel; but neither of them can tell what administered to him by the Rev. Mr. Rod- He was a man of strong Southern feelings, happened in the time between the explosion man, of Christ's Church. His family re- and this, in a measure, may have promp- of the torpedo and the moment they found mained with him all night and up to four ted him to commit the act. He came to themselves battling with the waves, or say o clock this morning. A portion of the the city from Edenton. N. C., about twen- confidently whether the steamer sank, or, time was spent in conversation, and the ty-five years ago, and commenced the rekindling her fires, moved off in the direcrest was devoted to religious services .- practice of medicine, in which he was tion of Charleston Upon their departure they took their last very successful until the occupation of this farewell. They all appeared to be deeply city by our troops. In appearance he moved, and it was truly a solemn and may be described as being rather tall, ception of a few dents, no harm whatever touching scene. Almost up to the hour slightly bent in the shoulders, with a large of execution there lingered a ray of hope. frame, though somewhat lean; his eyes Yesterday and even this morning telegrams dark, with heavy brows, long hair, which were sent to the President asking for a extended to the shoulders, of the same further reprieve. All that friends could color as his moustache and goater, which do for him was done. His counsel even were iron grey, but evidently, in his younused personal influence in his behalf, but ger days, very black. The family which he leaves is large, but in affluent circum-

## The Romance of the war.

THE INFERNAL MACHINE THAT WAS TO DESTROY THE IRONSIDES IN CHARLES-TON HARBOR.

Our readers already familiar with the through the prison to the street. To those main facts connected with the recent darwho were present he bowed, and several ing attempt of the rebels to destroy the he addressed with a few words. He was Ironsides, the most formidable of the

the hearse and requested that the lid of At half past nine o'clock on the night, his coffin might be removed, so that he of the 8th, the quartermaster on watch suited for the accomplishment of the ob-DR WRIGHT ATTEMPTS TO ESCAPE, could take a last view of his family, whose aboard the New Ironsides reported to the ject which they had in view, the material portraits were arranged all along the sides officer of the deck a suspicious craft, with being of wood. The torpedo, which was He seemed to realize his awful position, water, making directly toward the vessel, somewhat to the steamer, was exploded In New Jersey there are men who make though he seemed to be little dejected and The night, although clear, and the sky by means of a percussion cap at the fur- it a business to dig up the cedar trees said Wing. "Will you take sugar with marched with a firm step. He entered his studded with stars, was nevertheless upu- ther end, white lead being used to render buried for centuries in the swamps, and it?" reaching as he spoke for the bowl and carriage in company with Captain Shep- sually dark, and but little could be distin. it water-proof. Large rewards were to be cut them into shingles of, it is said, extra. toddy-stick. pard. Assistant Provost Marshal, Rev. guished of the stranger except the smoke paid the men in case they succeeded in ordinary excellence. A correspondent of The despairing traveler turned to Fish The procession, under command of Col- indistinct; she appeared to be steaming at safe, they being sanguine of blowing up timber, and the process of "getting it out:" onel Keese, moved lorward in the follow- a speed of seven knots an hour. How she the frigate, but never expecting to escape "These swamps are very valuable, an you tell me how far it is to Brandon?" A small detachment of mounted men, question to be considered, for it was just do were towed as far as Fort Sumter by hundred to a thousand dellars. A peeu. care if I do take a drink with you !" martial corps and infantry guard, hearse, possible that she might belong to us, and another vessel; it was probably owing to liar feature of the swamps is that the soil carriage containing Dr. Wright and eler to fire upon her without first determining this that they escaped the notice of our is of purely vegetable growth, often twenty gymen, carriage containing other clergy- her character and intention might result picket boats, these latter being engaged feet or more in depth. This peaty earth men. The one hundred and eighteenth in more serious damage than if she were watching the movements of the convoy, is constantly accumulating, from the fall This was noticed by one of the turn. New York and twenty-first Connecticut an enemy; so she was allowed to come which steamed here and there on the water of leaves and boughs, and trees are found Serves Along the Route of the Proces- distinct she grew as she approached—a own, before gliding back to Charleston. solid ground. The timber so buried te- floating cotton bale, upon which he floated sion .- There were few to be seen on the eigar shaped hull, after the pattern of the O'N AND AFT R APRIL 20. 367 PASSENGER Lieut. Cook, who was sitting among those thorough which the process Winans guidout, driving before it through ded. Arrived at a village several miles present in the room, rushed out and inter- sion passed, except regroes. But the sol- the water a smaller object, which could med Hoeffich, residing five miles west of workmen are constantly employed in raisassenter. Acrom. Acrom. Associated a black smoke. La Crescent, was married in Portage, in ing and splitting the logs into rails and many steps. Walking up to one of them. However, 1860, to a healthy German shingles. In searching for these logs the you, Dr. Wright i' at the same time lift- To Place of Execution. - The spot se- the motive power within were visible. Still they moved to Minnesota, on the farm thrusts into the soil, and by repeated triing up two heavy veils that concealed the lected for the site of execution was the she glided on, the object of her approach which they now occupy. In August, 1861, als ascertains the size and length of the ... I say, boy, is the S. blown up !" old Fair Grounds. In the centre of them either the frigate itself or the Devils which Mrs. II. gave birth to three boys, two of wood he strikes, and then by digging down lay moored on the port side. Coming near whom lived. In June, 1862, she gave obtains a chip, by the smell of which he

be a man of superior bravery, was captured became rapid and continuos, but seemed of his life for shooting, in cold blood, crew, who were picked up by a boat low-

> Very little injury was done the Ironsides ; in truth, I may say, with the exwas sustained by her. The prisoners say that the people of Charleston have very little faith in the monitors to reduce the fortifications leading to the harbor, but hold in fear the batteries of the Ironsides. To prove the endurance of the ship, I would add that the shock she received was so severe that a huge chest was thrown from its place in the lower hold against one of the stanchions, completely cruehing the leg of a seaman who was unfortunate enough to be standing there. Twenty tons of water entered her decks.

This daring attempt, unprecedented in its boldness by anything which has happened during the war, had its origin in the city of Charleston, where the cost was raised by public subscription; some of the wealthiest citizens subscribing largely. the Rowe to the place of Execution -A After viewing the procession, which was bor. The following additional facts and The steamer was built there expressly for the purpose, the pattern of the Winans gunboat being adopted as the one best smoke stack, and setting very low in the of the largest size, and similar in shape pipe and her lew hull, the latter extremely their desperate enterprise and came off the New York Post thus describes the and said could have passed our picket boats was a with their lives. Both steamer and torpe- acre of such timber commanding from five within hailing distance. More and more as if bound on a mission of mischief of her buried in it at all depths, quite down to was blown into the air, alighting near a

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generating, because they don't live as long as in the days of Methusalah. But nobody can afford to live long at the current prices.

Coming-Winter and cold weather.

## Chickadedee.

Chickedee, Chickadedee, Up on the tree, up on the tree, What will he do, what will he do, Without any shoe, without any shoe, To keep his feet warm, to his feet warm, Out in the storm, out in the storm ?

Chichadedee, Chickadedee, Up on the tree, up on the tree. Where will be go, where will be go, Out of the snow, out of the snow? Come here to me, come here to me. Chickadedee, Chickadedee,

I'll make a nest, I'll make a nest, Where you can rest, where you can rest, All nice and warm, all nice and warm, Out of the sterm, out of the storm, Come here to me, come here to me, Chickadedee, Chickadedee.

Taking the Clock to Pieces.

understand clock mending, took the farmer's clock to pieces, ate his dinner, and Clay's prediction, twenty years ago, when to be seen of her; the supposition is that again, complained of dizziness, took a ists, he indignantly remarked; "With walk into the open air, and forgot to re- them the rights of property are nothing ; turn. In continuation of his narrative he the deficiency of the powers of the Gensays: "Those politicians who went to eral Government are nothing; the ac-

> together again in as good running order as less of all consequences."-Ex. Papers. they found it. But they do not even wish to do it-they make no effort. They were in a hurry to work the mischief-they are in none to try to repair it. It was easy could not do their infernal work quickly for men and beast." enough. "Without a little blood-letting," Union will not, in my estimation, be worth afflicted in the same way. a curse." "Let the Union slide," said | One day they were sitting alone in the The Northern disunionists, including off- kindly treat. iceholders of all grades, civil and military A traveler from Pennsylvania, on his "el ek" upon its hands, which the radical Brandon ?" quacks in clockmending never meant, and "Brandy ?" says the ready landlord, and "unconditional Union" men now in ter of the precious liquor. the country are bogus clockmenders.

## Hunting for Cedar Timber.

tains its buoyancy and color, and it is conblack smoke, but no other indication of girl. The week after they were married workman uses an iron rod, which he was well acquainted, and cager for an and although from the growth above it, "The steamer S. has burst her boiler, believed to be two thousand years old, is as we learn from Captain S, who says he

years to come, the draft upon it."

#### The Coming Congress to Abolish Slavery.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune, a few weeks since. wrote as follows :

"I here now forewarn Copperheads of all degrees that one of the first and most important measures to come before the next Congress will make slavery in all parts of the United States an odious crime, forever bereafter, inflicting the penalty of death upon whomsoever shall dare to violate it after it shall become a law. And I moreover assure negro-baters and negro owners and all their backers of whatever name, that such a bill will pass both branches of Congress by a very large majority, and be hailed by the people as the brightest and best of ail the great and good and constitutional remedies for trea-Artemus Ward related that once, when son and Rebellion which have been invokhard pressed for something to eat, he stop ed by one during the most glorious Ad-

This is but the consummation of Henry work to take the Union clock to pieces to knowledged and incontestible powers of get their dinners, never meant to put it to- the States are nothing ; the dissolution of gether again. They have stolen their the Union, and the overthrow of a Govdinner, but they will not restore the ernment in which are concentrated the hopes of the civilized world are nothing. How true this is. The miserable bun- A single idea has taken possession of their glers have taken the Union clock to pieces minds, and onward they pursue it, overand now, if they would, could not put it looking all barriers, reckless and regard.

### Didn't Care if he Did.

In olden time, before the Maine laws were invented, Wing kept the hotel at work to take out the pins and se ews, and Middle Grainville, and from his well separate the parts. Two years ago they stocked bar furnished "accommodations

He was a good man, but most terribly said Zack Chandler, of Michigan, 'this deaf. Fish, the village painter, was also

others of the black hearted gang. And bar-room. Wing was behind the counter those who foresaw the consequences of waiting for the next customer, while Fish their parrieldal efforts were "weak, women | was lounging before the fire with a thirsty Union-savers," of whom Mussachusetts look, casting sheep's eyes occasionally at Wilson said scoffingly: "This sitting up Wing's decanters, and wishing most dewith the Union does not pay expenses." voutly that some one would come in and

contractors, &c., &c., are now "dining" way to Brandon, stepped in to inquire the gluttonously at the nation's expense. And distance. Going up to the counter he said ; the country has the broken, disjointed "Can you tell me, sir, how far it is to

never mean to put together again. And, jumping up, "yes, sir, I have some," and strange as it may seem, the only "loyal" at the same time handing down the decan-

"You misunderstand me," said the stranger, "I asked how far it was to Bran-

"They call it pretty good brandy,"

"The landlord seems to be deaf, will

"Thank you sir," said Fish, "I don't

The stranger treated and fled. An Explosive Jone.-The steamer S., commanded by Captain S., exploded several years ago, with terrible effect, and burned to the water's edge. Captain S. uninjured, but much blackened and mudbelow, to which news of the disaster had preced d him, he was accosted by the editor of the village paper, with whom he

"Yes."

"Was Captain S. killed !" "No, I am Captain S."

"The thunder you are? How high "High enough to think of every mean

The editor started on a run for his of-

It has been thought that people are de all entirely sound, and will supply for was up long enough to think of every mean thing he ever did in his life before he lit. We suppose he was up about three months."

Tale is a hard world. Every rose has "I Am all heart," said a military efficer its thorn, but one thorn in a bundred has to his comrades. "Pity you're not part pluck," said the Colon tin our and.